

Peace Officers' Memorial Day

Sheriff Paul Milbrath reports that the week of May 10, 2015 through May 16, 2015 has been designated as National Police Week. In addition, each year the Congress and the President of the United States dedicate the 15th of May as National Peace Officers' Memorial Day with a ceremony held in Washington DC. The Jefferson County Chiefs and Sheriff Association and the Jefferson County Board have declared Thursday, May 14, 2015 as the date to observe our countywide Peace Officers' Memorial Day.

We in the Jefferson County Law Enforcement Community wish to extend an invitation to the public to attend our local Law Enforcement Memorial Day Program on the lawn at the north end of the Jefferson County Courthouse beginning at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, May 14, 2015. During that time, we will take a moment to remember officers that have lost their lives or have become disabled in the performance of their duties within the United States and within our immediate communities in particular. Speakers this year will be Lt. Charles Berard from the Milwaukee Police Department and Representative Steve Nass, 33rd Assembly District.

In the event of inclement weather, the event will be held in the Jefferson County Fairgrounds Activity Center on Jackson Street. Please join us in showing your support for those fallen officers as well as the officers currently providing law enforcement services throughout Jefferson County and the Nation.